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Attached are some pics after Frank did some removal above the outlet pipe. Not sure how the depth is represented in the pictures, but he removed as far as the excavator would reach without additional ramping or parking on the adit – roughly 15-20. The last picture is from inside the pipe looking back towards the crap behind it. Appears to be a rather short pipe to me. In general, all the rock above and around the portal seems to be fractured chunks that come apart easily. We will likely be going back significantly to find something solid to set the 10' portal pipe against. That means we need to look at how the hillside might need to be removed/sloped/secured/etc.

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